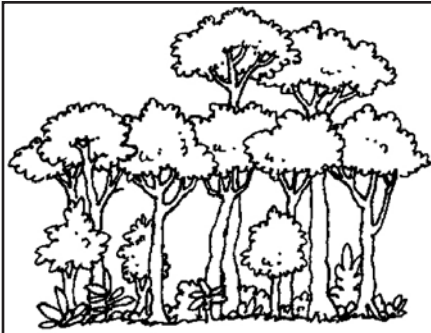


Name _____

Tropical Rain Forest or Desert?

In the top box, write the words that describe what is the same about both a rain forest and a desert. In each of the bottom boxes, write the words that describe what is different about them. For an additional challenge, write the name of an animal that lives in each place.

rainy	wet and warm	sandy	habitats	hot and dry
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Both

Rain Forest

Desert





Where do many trees grow? _____

How do you know? _____

Name _____



Counting Two-Syllable Words

Count the number of syllables you hear in the word **apple**. Circle the eight words below that have the same number of syllables. Then fill in the missing dates on the calendar.

	orange	cereal	yogurt	fruit	

	meat	cracker	lettuce	carrot	

	beans	cheese	bread	chicken	

	fish	turkey	corn	pizza	

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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4	5	6	7	8	9	
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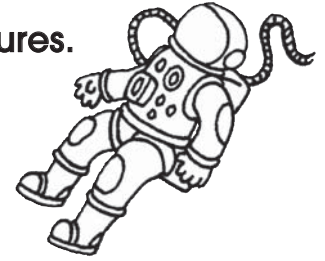
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Listening Activity

Ask children to listen carefully as you read the story or ask them to read it independently. Invite them to circle the correct answer to each question.

Buddy's Wish

Buddy's mother took him to the library.
 He chose a book about the moon. The book had a lot of pictures.
 Buddy read three facts about the moon.
 First, Buddy learned that the moon has craters on it.
 Second, he found out that the moon gets cold at night.
 Third, he read that astronauts had walked on the moon!
 Buddy finished the book.
 Finally, he said, "I wish I could be an astronaut. Then I could go to the moon."



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1. Where did Buddy go?
 to the bakery to the library to the zoo

2. Which did Buddy's book have?
 cartoons pictures marks

3. What did Buddy find out about the moon first?
 It has mountains. It has water. It has craters.

4. Which thing did Buddy learn about the moon next?
 It is hot at night. It is cold at night. It is cloudy at night.

5. Which word helps you know what Buddy did last?
 Second walked Finally

6. What did Buddy wish he could do?
 go to the moon go to Mars go to the mountains



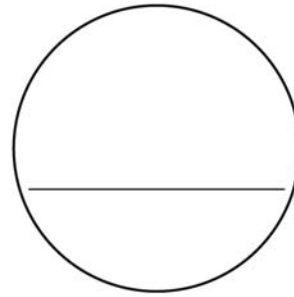
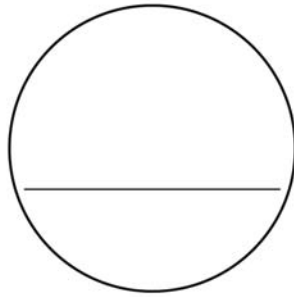
Think about the book Buddy read. Circle the words to finish this sentence.
 The book about the moon was _____. **a true story** **make-believe**

Name _____

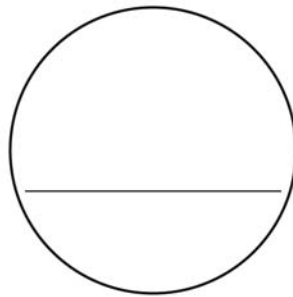
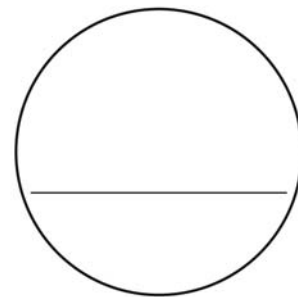
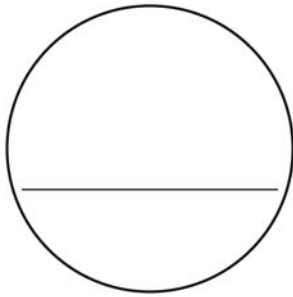
Eye Words

Make a word web. Find the five words that are related to eyes.
Then write them in the circles around the pictures of the eyes.

pupil	eyelash	iris	eyebrow
bear	kite	eyelid	pencil



eyes



Finish the sentence with the correct word from above.

The dark opening in the middle of the eye is the _____.